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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, Applicant wishes to bring the reference, listed on the attached form PTO-1449 and enclosed herewith, to the attention of the Examiner. The SAKATA reference (a Japanese-language text) was cited by the PTO against claim 13. In order to facilitate understanding of the actual content of the Japanese text, submitted herewith is a verified English translation prepared in the office of Applicant's Japanese counsel. This explanation suffices to make the relevance of the reference apparent. Therefore, **this submission complies with MPEP § 609.**

# REMARKS

This IDS is being filed prior to payment of the Issue Fee and is accompanied by the fee set forth in section 1.17(p). If any additional petition or fee is required, kindly construe this paper as such a petition, and charge any required fee to Dep. Acct. 23-0442.

No representation is made that more pertinent, although presently unknown, art does not exist. It is anticipated that the Examiner will conduct a thorough search of the prior art and will carefully consider the document submitted herewith.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to **return an initialled copy** of form PTO-1449, to confirm that the reference has been considered.

Respectfully submitted,

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		Verif. English translation of JP Patent Pub. # 011-284 195, SAKATA, publ. 15 OCT. 1999.					
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